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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:)	
Ove Pedersen et al.)	Examiner: Kevin Hurley
for FULLY HYDRAULIC STEERING)	Group Art Unit: 3611
Serial No.: 10/727,905)	Confirmation No. 7557
Filed: December 4, 2003)	Our Docket No: 6495-0042

Hartford, Connecticut, February 8, 2005

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

and

REQUEST FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Applicant requests a two-month extension of time, to February 10, 2005, for filing a Response to the Office Action of September 10, 2004.

In response to the Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 4.